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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s):

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For: **Method and System for Network Management Capable of Identifying Sources of Small Packets**

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Enclosed are also:

- ☒ 58 Pages of Specification including an Abstract
☒ 11 Pages of Claims
☒ 17 Sheet(s) of Drawings (Informal)
☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney
☒ Form PTO 1595 and assignment of the invention to IBM Corporation
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☒ Copies of References
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CLAIMS AS FILED

FOR	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee (\$710)
Total Claims	45 -20 =	25	X \$ 18	= \$450
Independent Claims	3 -3 =	0	X \$ 80	= \$0
Multiple Dependent Claims	0		X \$270	= \$0
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